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Applicant: Gerald C. Kitch

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FOR THE ASSEMBLY THEREOF

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.131(b)(3) and 37 C.F.R. 1.125(b) and (c), enclosed herewith is a substitute Specification. Kindly replace the Specification as filed with this substitute Specification. The substitute Specification includes no new matter.

Attached hereto is a mark-up showing all of the changes relative to the Specification as originally filed. The substitute Specification is necessary because some of the sections of the original Specification were mislabeled and were out of order.

**Amendments to the Specification in Marked Up Form** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Specification in Clean Form** begin on page 8 of this paper.